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SENATOR ALLARD INTRODUCES LEGISLATION TO COMMEMORATE PRESIDENT REAGAN'S LANDMARK BRANDENBURG GATE SPEECH

Washington, D.C. – U.S. Senator Wayne Allard (R-Colorado) today introduced legislation in the Senate to commemorate President Ronald Reagan's groundbreaking "Mr. Gorbachev, tear down this wall!" speech at the Brandenburg Gate in Berlin on June 12th, 1987.

"It is a great honor for me to introduce this legislation," Senator Allard said. "This will be a fitting tribute to the closure of a dark chapter in history. Under Reagan's leadership, and through his dedication and conviction, he helped bring about the fall of communism, and ushered in a new era of freedom and democracy."

This bill would authorize an artistic tribute to President Reagan's famous speech at the Berlin Wall to be placed in the United States Capitol Building. This resolution has also been introduced in the House of Representatives by Congressman Don Young (R-Alaska).

"The inspirational words, 'Mr. Gorbachev, tear down this wall!' will forever resonate in our minds as a sign of America's victory over tyranny," Senator Allard said.

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